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In re the Application of: **NAGAI, Shozo et al.**

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For. **A NI-BASE BRAZING ALLOY**

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Date: April 11, 2003

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated December 18, 2002 for one month from March 18, 2003 to April 18, 2003.

Attached please find a check in the amount of \$110.00 to cover the cost of the extension for a large entity. In the event that any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 01-2340.

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